

### EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Wayne Keown on 12/3/2010.

The application has been amended as follows:

#### IN THE CLAIMS:

1. In claim <sup>20</sup>4, line 6, delete ", aracytosine".

#### ART OF RECORD:

US Patent No. 6562798 (Schwartz) teaches the use of cytosine arabinoside or aracytosine in immunostimulatory oligonucleotides (see abstract and col. 9, lines 36+). See attached form 892.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to MICHELLE HORNING whose telephone number is (571)272-9036. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday 8:00-5:00 EST.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, ZACHARIAH LUCAS can be reached on 571-272-0905. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.